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Johnson Sweeps California by Old Time Figures

Practically Complete Returns Give Him a Lead of Over 136,000 Over Hoover

Irreconcilable Opponent of League of Nations Secures Splendid Home Endorsement

(By United Press)

San Francisco, Calif., May 5—California wants Senator Hiram Johnson for president.

Incomplete but indicative returns from every county in the state from yesterday's primary election gave Johnson a handsome majority over Hoover.

Returns from 5,000 out of 5,729 precincts gave Johnson a lead of 136,945. The vote was: Johnson, 293,855; Hoover 156,890 in these precincts.

Voters did not scratch in ballots and Johnson will have California's twenty-six delegates complete at the Chicago convention.

Johnson carried the northern cities by an overwhelming lead, piling up some majorities of two, three and even four to one.

Hoover apparently carried Los Angeles by a small majority. Johnson invaded Hoover's own county of Santa Clara and carried it, according to incomplete returns.

In 174 out of 192 Santa Clara county precincts the vote was: Johnson 10,896 and Hoover 5,311.

Governor Cox Given Kentucky Endorsement

(By United Press)

Louisville, Ky., May 5—Governor James M. Cox of Ohio will have the support of Kentucky's twenty-six delegates to the democratic national convention at San Francisco. The state convention meeting her voted just before adjournment early today to send the entire delegation to the coast pledged to the Ohio governor.

Fight to Control Michigan Delegates

(By United Press)

Kalamazoo, Mich., May 5—The fight for control of the Michigan delegation to the republican national convention was opened at the G. O. P. state convention here today by forces supporting the candidacy of Hiram Johnson.

Johnson's leaders charged that the "old guard" was plotting to torpedo the Johnson boom by electing a pro-Wood delegation with a "half hearted" instruction to vote for Johnson on the face of a few ballots.

French Government Orders Arrest of Strike Leaders

(By United Press)

Paris, May 5—Arrest of prominent leaders in the general strike of railroad, truck and coal mine workers was scheduled for today. The government was understood to have issued more than 40,000 warrants. The government claims only a minority of the miners had quit work.

School Teachers Go on Strike

(By United Press)

Cincinnati, Ohio May 5—3500 school children at Newport, Ky., across the river from Cincinnati, went on a forced vacation today when thirty-three school teachers here went on strike. They are demanding an increase of \$300 a year. The present maximum wage is \$96.25 a month.

Anti Packers Legislation Predicted

(By United Press)

Washington, May 5—Packer legislation "with teeth in it" will be passed by this session of congress. Representative Anderson of Minnesota, one of the authors of a bill to regulate packing industries, predicted today.

WILLIAM L. REDIES



The emperor of Japan has conferred a medal of the Order of the Rising Sun on Lieut. Col. William L. Redies of the United States marine corps.

General Wood Carries Indiana

With Over Half of Precincts in State Reporting Leads Johnson Over 6,000

(By United Press)

Indianapolis, Ind., May 5—Unofficial returns in the Indiana presidential preference primaries today given in 2,140 precincts out of a total of 3,387 are: Wood 56,810, Johnson 52,016, Lowden 24,852, Harding 13,428.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 5—Returns from 1,815 of Indiana's 3,387 precincts today indicate Major General Leonard Wood received a plurality of 6,000 in yesterday's primary election. These precincts gave Wood 45,491, Senator Johnson 38,865, Governor Lowden 20,808, Senator Harding 12,018. Some industrial centers believed to be a stronghold for Johnson had not reported, and it was expected returns from these places would reduce Gen. Wood's lead. Wood has apparently carried Indianapolis and Marion counties.

Warren McCray has apparently captured the republican race for the nomination for governor. McCulloch was leading for the democratic nomination.

The democrats did not figure in the presidential primaries.

St. Paul Cooks and Waiters Strike

(By United Press)

St. Paul, May 5—More than fifty bench rooms, restaurants and cafes were in inexperienced hands today. Cooks and waiters walked out at six o'clock this morning demanding higher pay, an eight hour day, three meals a day and \$1 an hour for overtime. Restaurant and hotel keepers are determined to fight the strike. Some of the leading eating houses have signed up however, with the union's demand and weathered the crisis. Minneapolis cooks and some waiters struck last Saturday.

Prominent Persian Official Marries California Girl



The marriage of Juanita Storch, of Oakland, Cal., to Mirza Ahmad Sohrab, former secretary of the Persian Legation, was recently celebrated with Persian ceremonies in the presence of delegates representing fifty Bahai assemblies from all parts of the world.

Mayor Hodgson is Re-Elected as Mayor of St. Paul

In a Hot Contest in Which the Largest Vote Ever Cast in the City was Brought Out

Police Commissioner McColl was Defeated—City Council was Overturned

St. Paul, May 5—Mayor Lawrence C. Hodgson was re-elected mayor of St. Paul after one of the most bitter political campaigns in the city. Unofficial returns with the exception of two precincts which can not be tabulated until the official count, show that Hodgson's majority was 2,482 over Wm. Mahoney, labor candidate. The vote was: Hodgson 21,532, Mahoney 19,050.

With the exception of J. M. Clancy an entire new city council was elected. Clancy, head of the labor council ticket, led the field of twelve with 25,045 votes. Other laborites were: H. Wenzel and C. A. Smith. Three former service men were elected on the council. They were: Chaplain L. R. S. Ferguson, J. H. McDonald, and I. W. Matsen. Commissioner H. McColl, head of the police department ran tenth in the field of twelve. His defeat probably means a complete reorganization of the police department and the resignation of the chief of police, J. J. O'Connor. The ordinance giving the city council power to fix street car fares on basis of service rendered was adopted, although P. L. Power, commissioner, who framed the measure, was ousted by the organization. The charter amendment providing for an eight hour day for police was probably defeated, as was the amendment giving the council power to fix salaries of certain city officials.

St. Paul, May 5—Major Lawrence C. Hodgson was reelected mayor in yesterday's city election over Wm. Mahoney, labor candidate. Hodgson's majority was 2,715 with two minor precincts missing. More than 40,000 votes were cast—a record for any election in St. Paul.

Practically complete returns overturned all of the city council. Three former service men and three labor candidates apparently had been elected.

Henry McColl, police commissioner, on whom a bitter fight was made, ran tenth in a field of twelve. Police Chief J. J. O'Connor is expected to resign as a result of McColl's defeat.

Wood Reinstates

New York, May 5—Major General Leonard Wood intimated this afternoon that he would refuse to decide the controversy between Col. Wm. G. Proctor and Frank Hitchcock, over control of his campaign organization. "So far as I know they will continue to function in the present capacity," he said.

MAJ. ALBERT SMITH



Maj. Albert Smith, United States army aviator, who has established a one-day flight record by piloting a De Havilland plane from Camp Lewis, Tacoma, Wash., to Rockwell field, San Diego, Cal., in 11 hours 19 minutes of flying time.

NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD BUYS 71 NEW LOCOMOTIVES

At a Cost of Five Million Dollars the N. P. Brings Its Equipment to a Pre-War Basis

(By United Press)

St. Paul, May 5—The Northern Pacific has ordered seventy-one locomotives from the American Locomotive company of New York, which places it foremost among railroads of the northwest in bringing their equipments up to pre-war standard. The locomotives will cost about \$5,000,000.

CAR SHORTAGE KEEPS GRAIN OFF MARKET

And Keeps Up Prices of Food, Representatives of Farmers Grain Associations Testified

(United Press)

Washington, May 5—The government interstate commerce committee today began investigation of the car shortage which is said to be delaying shipment of grain and other food stuffs from the middle west. Grain dealers and representatives of the farmers associations in Minnesota, North and South Dakota, Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas and Missouri were asked to appear to give figures as to the losses resulting from the shortage.

Washington, May 5—Vast stores of wheat and other grain are being kept off the market by a box car shortage amounting to seventy per cent in some localities, representatives of the middle west grain dealers and farmers association told the house interstate commerce committee today.

Price of food stuffs will remain high until cars are obtained to move the stock it was said. All of the stocks are last year's crop and delay is a serious hindrance to the farmers, grain dealers and bankers. The representatives asked that congress authorize additional loans to the railroads to provide more cars for next year.

An Apt Illustration
A teacher was quoting wise saws in class and getting their opinion on them. She said: "A discreet silence is better than the truth spoken without charity." Can any boy give practical interpretation of that maxim? Somewhat to her consternation, a freckle-faced lad made this honest application: "If you see a cockroach in the table, don't say anything about it."—From the Outlook, etc.

Danger in Overweight
Overweight, within ten pounds, under thirty years of age is considered a favorable sign and indicates resistance against tuberculosis. After thirty years it is an unfavorable sign, signifying over-eating, auto intoxication and danger of hardening of the arteries, apoplexy, heart failure, and Bright's disease.

Senators Are Considering The Peace Resolution

Senator Knox Will Deliver a Speech on the Resolution—Democrats will Not Obstruct (By United Press)

Washington, May 5—The senate today took up the Knox peace resolution, but the certainty that President Wilson will veto it caused interest in the formal debate to lag.

Senator Knox's speech was expected to be a comprehensive reply to the democrats' criticism of the republican plan for declaring peace by resolution.

Knox had spent much time on his speech and party leaders expect to use it extensively as a campaign document. Democrats are putting no obstacles in the way of the peace resolution and probably will take little part in the debate, Senator Underwood, democratic leader, said today.

Senator Knox's Speech

Washington, May 5—Declaring that President Wilson prefers "to keep the country in an alleged state of war rather than abate one jot of the title of the full measure his isolated will has set for the nation," Senator Knox of Pennsylvania, today opened debate in the senate on the peace resolution.

"The welfare and safety of the nation is imperiled. The whole world is seething with revolution. Our own nation is in ferment and turmoil. Force and strife are rampant and threatens the destruction, not only of property, but our free institutions, and even our very lives. We have stood for months as a rudderless ship foundered in the trough of the seas. We must not dare longer to delay a return to the government of order and peace. We must not hazard a further postponement in turning our undivided deliberations to home problems which are great enough to tax the utmost wisdom we possess."

Special Session Called of Wisconsin Legislature

Regulation of Rentals and Legislation to Combat High Costs will be Considered

(United Press)

Madison, Wis., May 5—Gov. E. L. Phillips announced today that a special session of the legislature will open Tuesday May 18. The call is to be issued tomorrow.

It is believed that regulation of the cost of rentals, higher pay for school teachers and means of reducing the cost of living will be included in the call.

Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr., and His Bride



Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr., and his bride, formerly Miss Rachel Littleton, were married in New York on May 5, 1920. The wedding was one of the most fashionable weddings of the season. Young Mr. Vanderbilt has been working for some time as a reporter on a New York newspaper.

EDWARD L. DOHERTY



The "oil king," who is today the largest oil producer.

Warships Sent to Key West for Mexican Service

May be Necessary to go to Mexican East Coast to Protect Endangered American Interests

Revolutionists seem to be getting the upper hand of Present Carranza Government

(By United Press)

Washington, May 5—A division of destroyers has been ordered to proceed to Key West, Florida, to be held in readiness for possible instructions to go to the east coast of Mexico. Secretary Daniels announced this morning. The destroyers were scheduled to start this morning.

The move is precautionary, it was learned, and is being taken with the idea that it may be necessary to use the war craft to protect Americans endangered by the revolutionary development.

The force included in the squadron are, the Isherwood, the Case, Lander, Putnam, Beale, Reid and the tender, Black Hawk.

Captain B. A. Langer of the Black Hawk, who is senior officer of the squadron, conferred with Daniels last night, and Admiral Bullard, chief of naval operations, was told to proceed to Key West with all possible speed, and hold the ships in readiness for further orders.

The Mexican Federal General has given Carranza until May 15 to step out of office, according to unofficial reports.

If these and other unofficial reports prove true Mexico soon will be in the midst of even a greater political confusion than now.

Carranza and the federal government forces now are completely shut off from communication with the outside world except by one telegraph line through Eagle Pass and Laredo, reports here stated.

General Gonzales until recently, one of Carranza's staunchest supporters, has gone over to the revolutionists, according to reports by representatives of the Obregon movement. Gonzales, according to the report, is in command of two regiments of infantry a short distance from Mexico City and has severed railroads to Vera Cruz. This railroad is the only outlet of the Mexican capital to the sea on the east.

Electrical Workers Strike

(By United Press)

Schenectady, N. Y., May 5—1800 men, members of the Electrical Workers union, employed by the General Electric company, walked out today. It was reported 3,000 more will quit. The men demand that the company either compel four men to pay dues to the union or discharge them.

Oregon Massing Troops to Attack Mexico City

El Paso, May 5—General Obregon today began massing followers at Guernavaca and Cuautla for a vigorous campaign against Mexico City, revolutionary headquarters here declared today. Anticipating the attack, President Carranza has summoned three generals to the defense of the capital. They were enroute to Mexico City, according to reports reaching here.

Terreon Deserts Carranza

San Antonio, May 5—Confessed disaffection of Terreon, chief city of the state of Coahuila from the Carranza regime was contained in a report here today.

Mexican Bandits Murder American

El Paso, Texas, May 3—Mexican bandits near Eloro, state of Mexico, murdered Ralph Greenlaw, Monday, according to word received here today. Greenlaw was son of Francis Greenlaw, who with another son was murdered at Eloro, Monday by bandits.

Business Phones Increased in Price

(By United Press)

St. Paul, May 5—Reduced telephone rates for residents and increased rates for business use were authorized today by the state railway and warehouse commission. The new schedule is to become effective May 15. Under this schedule the commission does not permit the proposed advance as submitted by both the Northwestern and Tri-State companies.

THE WEATHER
Weather Forecast for Next 24 Hours
Minnesota and N. D.—Fair tonight and Thursday, not much change in temperature.
Cooperative observer's record, p. m.: May 4—Maximum 52, minimum 29. Reading in evening 40. Cloudy. Southeast wind. May 5, Minimum during the night, 36.

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You Live in the Right State". The check is for \$330 and made out to Chester A. Darling, of Minneapolis, former Brainerd boy who saw war service and is in the employ of "The Stars and Stripes". Corporal Darling had 22 months' service, most of it overseas. "He didn't really need the money", says the writeup "because he is Northwest Manager of the Stars and Stripes, and, according to the esteemed business office, he must be a very wealthy man. But there is no record to show that he refused the bonus. And just to think," says the editor of Stars and Stripes in conclusion, "the editor was born in Minnesota, but he moved away".

Chinese Adopt United States Idea. There are about 150 Chinese women and girls in New York city, a few of them students, but most of them wives, mothers and daughters of merchants and other business men. These women will some day carry back to China western ideas and methods, and especially the practices of American women. They are interesting themselves in everything that American women do. "We are hoping to learn of the best elements in American womanhood," says one of their leaders, "and at the same time to retain our ideals of Chinese civilization." This is a Chinese branch of the Y. W. C. A., that will train women in citizenship, American customs, organized recreation, physical exercise and all the usual lines of activity.

MEN "WALKED WITH DEATH"

Sailors on Mine-Sweeping Trawlers in Constant Peril of Sudden and Awful Disaster.

Imagine yourself trying to walk through a dense wood at midnight without a light, the penalty for touching a tree being death. That will give you some idea of the dangers that the men on mine-sweeping trawlers faced when their vessels were steaming through a freshly sown mine field.

The minesweepers were divided into teams, each of which was commanded by a naval officer. The vessels left harbor about daylight and steamed out to sweep for mines.

They worked in pairs abreast of each other. Between the vessels swinging the sweep wire, sunk to the necessary depth in the water by means of towed kites—wooden arrangements acting on the same principle as ordinary air kites.

These wires can be regulated to travel to any depth beneath the surface. When mines are caught they are dragged to one side and destroyed by rifle fire. If the bullets hit the detonator the mine generally explodes at once; but, if, on the other hand, water enters the buoyancy chamber and floods it, the mine goes to the bottom like a stone and becomes innoxious.

As the trawlers themselves may draw as much as 32 feet of water, they may come into contact with a mine laid at or above that depth. If a mine sweeper is struck and the resultant explosion occurs forward in the bows, it may keep afloat and eventually be towed into harbor by one of her consorts. If the detonation took place amidships or in the stern, however, it was unlikely that the ship would survive, and the men in the engine room or boiler room would probably perish with the vessel.

He Could Not Stand Straight

"I caught cold and it settled in my kidneys," writes J. C. Diamond, 2865 W. 30 St., Cleveland, O. "My back and sides were so lame and sore I could not stand straight. I use Foley Kidney Pills and am glad to testify to their helping power. "Good for stiff or swollen joints, rheumatic pains, H. P. Dunn.

HOUSE CLEANING IS NO PROBLEM with the use of Wall Paper and Paint. I have workers who will give you satisfactory jobs. C. C. Bowen, Tel. 982-W, 617 Main St., near the new water tower. 2761

A free tuberculosis clinic will be given at the court house Saturday, May 8, from 11 a. m. to noon, under the direction of Dr. W. L. Mattick, superintendent of the Dewey Sanatorium of Aitkin and Crow Wing counties. It is very desirous to have a good attendance as there are undoubtedly many suffering from tuberculosis that have not taken advantage of these free clinics.

EVERYBODY SMILES IN THE Spring. You can make your soiled, smoked-up rooms smile at visitors with our new Wall Paper. First class workmen to hang it. C. C. Bowen, Tel. 982-W near the new water tower. 2761

The "Stars and Stripes" a newspaper of the veterans, by the veterans and for the veterans, published at Washington, D. C., in its May 1 issue calls attention to the bonus paid soldiers in Minnesota with the heading over a picture of a check entitled "You Get One of These, Soldier. If

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For sale cheap. Saxon six, five passenger. Electric Garage, 315 South Seventh street. 284t5

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St. Olaf Band

Tickets 50c, 75c and \$1.00
Reserved at Box Office
NEW PARK THEATRE
Thursday May 6, 8:15 P. M.

We will help you to stop these annual spells of sickness by making your house more sanitary. Send rugs, drapes, curtains, pillows, penans, etc. to Brainerd Model Laundry. 284t2

Atkin county last year paid out \$1729.50 in wolf bounties.

Crystal spring water, \$1.50 month. L. Bourassa, Telephone 13.

William V. Turcotte was called to Merrield on business matters.

NOTICE

Next regular meeting of Benefit Association of Railway Employees will be held in Oddfellows hall, Tuesday May 4 at 8 p. m. All policy holders are invited. A social time after the meeting. 283t2

Ed Britton has sold his cottage at Lincoln to Dispatcher Boggas.—Staples World.

See our line of attractive Mother's Day cards. H. P. Dunn, druggist. 284t2

Charles Kinkle made a business trip to Brainerd Saturday between trains.—Walker Pilot.

A grass fire near Ivy and the river was extinguished by the fire department yesterday afternoon.

All the Dental Offices of this city will be closed at 1:00 o'clock Saturdays, beginning May 29 end Sept. 18. 284t6w2012

Warmer weather is making possible the start of increased garden acreage in town, country and at the lakes.

Garden plowing 50c up. Manure \$1 load. Phone 400-M. 368t5

Following Brainerd's example, local game protective leagues have been formed in Little Fall and St. Cloud.

The B. A. Y. No. 602 will give a dance at the Citizens State Bank hall Wednesday Evening May 5. Tickets 50c. 283t3

Miss Millie Gardner of the Gardner Hat Shop, is attending the mid-summer millinery opening in the Twin Cities.

For sale shade trees. Wm. Thomas, 1003 S. 7th. 278t6p

Boys of the baseball club of Staples gave a dance Friday evening at Staples which raised considerable money.

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"23" IS MYSTIC NUMBER OF ELKS

23 in the Class of Fawns to Receive Elks' Antlers at Big Doings on Evening May 6

LUNCHEON IS TO BE SERVED

New Stunts Which Will Prove Attractive to Members and Entertaining to Candidates

"23" is a mystic number and will prove doubly so Thursday evening, May 6, when Brainerd Lodge of Elks, No. 615, initiates a class of 23 candidates. New stunts have been provided which will prove most attractive to the old members and a source of considerable enlightenment to the candidates.

Fawn grass has been imported from Florida and Elks mills from California. Antlers will be carefully set by an additional degree team which comes on the boards with the guarantee that nothing will be missing. An elaborate luncheon will be served.

The Elks have shown their appreciation of the splendid services of local talent in the way of cast and choruses which made "Katcha-Koo" such a success in the two nights' presentation at the New Park Theatre. A complimentary dance is to be given them and others assisting to make "Katcha-Koo" a winner, the date being Friday evening, May 7, at the Citizens State bank hall. Elks and their families are also invited to the dance. The Blue Ribbon orchestra will play and dancing starts at 9 o'clock. It is free, as stated, to Elks cast and choruses and others assisting in the play and to Elks and their families. The dance is entirely informal. Wear anything you like, you are welcome.

FISHING SEASON HAS OPENED

Fishing season has opened for all hook and line fish except black bass, the season for which opens on June 15, and with the opening of the season comes information from Game Warden A. P. Cardle regarding the regulations governing fishing and the limit number for a catch.

No one is allowed to use more than one pole or one line at any one time. The limit number of fish for a catch is as follows: Pike, 15, must be at least 14 inches long; pickerel, 25, must be at least 14 inches long; crappies, 25; perch, no limit; sunfish, 25 and rock bass, 25. The above list number has reference to fish caught by angling and Game Warden Cardle states that this law must be obeyed this season.

Carp, dogfish, redhorse, sheepheads, catfish, suckers, all pouts, garfish, bullheads, whitefish and buffalo fish may be taken by spearing with use of artificial lights on streams only between April 20 and January 1. This ruling will be enforced to the limit, and lights must not be used on lake waters as has been done in the past by many fishermen.

Hoop nets and wire traps of all kinds are barred and every effort will be made to prevent this method of taking fish. Those caught will be punished severely.

HERE'S PROOF

A Brainerd Citizen Tells of His Experience

You have a right to doubt statements of people living far away but can you doubt Brainerd endorsement?

Read it:

A. B. Grewell, retired farmer, 406 S. Bluff Ave., says: "I am getting on in years and my kidneys get out of order now and then. The kidney secretions change in quantity and color and sometimes I have to get up four or five times at night. I have dizzy and fainting spells and a dull pain through the center of my back. When I feel these symptoms coming on, I take Doan's Kidney Pills and they bring me around in good shape."

Price 60¢ at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Grewell had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Swedish Lutheran Ladies Aid The Ladies Aid of the Swedish Lutheran church will meet in the church parlors Thursday afternoon at 2:30. Mrs. J. W. Johnson will entertain.

Bethlehem Aid

The Ladies Aid of the Bethlehem Lutheran church will meet in the church Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Sigrid Swanson will entertain.

Not Their Measure.

Bankers are the last men to complain such an indiscretion as to speak of their friends as men of sterling integrity.—American Banker.

H. C. OF L. BUMPED

Murphy's "Store of Quality" Puts On a Shoe Sole that Opens Brainerd People's Eyes

Murphy's "Store of Quality" has staged a shoe sale that is an eye opener to Brainerd people and is being liberally patronized. It has given the High Cost of Living a regular solar plexus bump.

There are shoes for women and girls, all styles, colors and sizes, and pumps galore all moderately priced at figures "before the war". Such an opportunity is not often presented Brainerd patrons.

PINE RIVER IS CORDIAL HOST

Odd Fellows Entertained the Degree Team of Unity Lodge of Brainerd

SPLENDID DINNER WAS SERVED

At Spurrier Hotel—First and Second Degrees are Exemplified

There

The Pine River Odd Fellows entertained the degree team of Unity Lodge No. 194 Brainerd, Monday night at the Spurrier hotel. A splendid dinner was served after which the first and second degrees were conferred.

Pine River Lodge has been very unfortunate in losing their hall by fire last year, since then they have been using the Mason's hall.

The following Brainerd Odd Fellows drove to Pine River:

L. W. Sherlund, W. McComas, Jas. Buley, J. C. Clausen, O. E. Blackledge, A. J. Giles, Lawrence McCulloch, I. O. Kelsven, Roy Sherlund, Theo Miller, M. E. Morrison, S. Hall, Geo. Fricker, Dr. C. A. Nelson, Dan Kraska, O. J. Bouma, A. J. Hayes, Mack McCulloch.

RESOLUTION

It is resolved by the City Council of the City of Brainerd that the salaries of the following appointive officers of said City are hereby fixed at the rate hereinbefore set forth viz:

Chief of Police \$125.00 per month
Captain of Police \$115.00 per month
Patrolman \$110.00 per month
Fire Truck Drivers \$100 per month
City Nurse \$82.50 per month

This to be in effect from and after May 1, 1920.

Adopted 3rd day of May, 1920.
(signed) J. H. STRICKLER,
President of the Council

Approved 4th day of May, 1920.
(signed) F. E. LITTLE,
Mayor.

Attest:
(signed) SEVERN SWANSON,
City Clerk.

Published 5th day of May, 1920.
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NOTICE

Loyal Order of Moose, dancing, entertainment, lunch and initiation. Regular meeting Thursday, May 6 at 7:15 o'clock. Entertainment at 9 o'clock, dancing at 9:30. All members are requested to be present.

H. R. WEIDEMANN, Secy.

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Another Royal Suggestion

COOKIES and SMALL CAKES

From the NEW ROYAL COOK BOOK

WHEN the children romp in hungry as young bears, here are some wholesome, economical delights that will not only be received with glee, but will satisfy the most ravenous appetite in a most wholesome manner.

Cookies
4 tablespoons shortening
2 cups sugar
1/2 cup milk
2 eggs
1/2 teaspoon grated nutmeg
1 teaspoon vanilla extract or
grated rind of 1 lemon
4 cups flour
3 teaspoons Royal Baking
Powder

Cream shortening; add sugar and well-beaten egg; beat well and add milk slowly; sift flour, baking powder, salt and cocoa into mixture; stir until smooth, add vanilla. Put one tablespoon of batter into each greased muffin tin and bake in moderate oven about 20 minutes. Cover with boiled icing.

Orange Cakes
4 tablespoons shortening
1 cup sugar
1/2 cup milk
2 eggs
2 cups flour
3 teaspoons Royal Baking
Powder

1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon orange extract
grated rind of 1 orange

Cream shortening; add sugar slowly, beating well; add milk a little at a time; then add well-beaten egg; sift flour, baking powder and salt together; add flavoring and grated orange rind; mix well. Bake in greased shallow tin, or individual cake tins, in hot oven 15 to 20 minutes. When cool cover with orange icing.

Cocoa Drop Cakes

4 tablespoons shortening
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FIRST UNION TO AID BASEBALL

DRESS FOR THE LITTLE MISS



The Brotherhood of All Railway Employees is the latest donated and sent to the Dispatch 10 for the Brainerd baseball team for 1920. The gift comes as a welcome addition to the fund.

Directions of the Brainerd Baseball club meet at 7:30 this evening at the small Trades & Labor hall, fourth floor Iron Exchange building, at which it is reported will be made on the progress of the campaign for funds in the shops.

John J. Cummins, general manager of the financial campaign, will then appoint his assistants for the down town drive. Cards are being freely used by solicitors and the response in general is very good.

The whole board of directors should attend the meeting tonight. There are 19 including President F. E. Little.

Temporary Playing Manager Fred Cook has received letters from various aspirants for positions on the Brainerd team and all want a definite answer. The engagement of high class men all hinge on the amount of money Brainerd can raise.

On Saturday, May 8, the shipment of baseball suits and baseballs will be here from Duluth and it's a C. O. D. order.

On all sides towns are jumping into the game and are after players. Luverne has just raised \$3,000 for its team. Crosby is already organized and in the field and plays the Duluth Independents at Duluth Sunday, May 9, opening the baseball season.

White crepe de chine and picot-edged ribbon make this a charming and dainty little dress for the small girl.

DEMAND FOR LEGHORN HATS

Judging From Variety and Number on Display, Old-Time Favorites Will Hold Sway.

Leghorn hats will have a bigger success during the coming summer than they have ever enjoyed before. Judging from the variety and number of them to be seen in the wholesale houses. The popular type of leghorn for the new season promises to be the large, "shady" model with the sides much wider than the front and back, thus producing, for the first time in this kind of hat, the irregularity of brim that has been seen in some others. The tops of the favored models are usually completely covered, sometimes by a fine shadow veil of Chantilly lace and sometimes by frilly ribbon rows or wide bands of elephantine ribbon. Upper facings and crowns of silk are stretched over the leghorn frames, leaving the straw exposed on the under brim.

Get Rid of "Spring Fever"

If you lack energy—if you lack "pep"—the chances are that your bowels are sluggish. A Foley Cathartic Tablet is a wholesome physic that will rid you of biliousness, gas bloating, sick-headache, sour stomach or other ills that attend indigestion and constipation. They invigorate the liver. H. P. Dunn.

The Young Spurn Advice.

One peculiar thing of life is that when we grow old we cannot make the younger generation take our advice on matters of life. They say: "That may have been all right when you were young, but that was many years ago. Times have changed since then." It would be fine if we could have the younger generation start where we leave off instead of committing the same foolish mistakes that we ourselves have made, and yet it seems that this cannot be.—Dean Shaffer Mathews.

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For Little Girls.

This season sees a decided vogue for washable crepe de chine dresses for little girls, and challis is also being accorded approval.

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INDEFENDENCE FOR ARMENIA

Inasmuch as neither the United States nor any other power has been willing to accept a mandate to govern Armenia, the supreme council of the allies, sitting at San Remo, has decided to make it an independent state. The announcement is welcome, particularly because the unwillingness of the European diplomats to drive the sultan out of Constantinople had given rise to the unpleasant thought that they might also hesitate to fear his grasp loose from unhappy Armenia. It is also gratifying that the United States has been so quick to grant recognition to the new nation.

The Armenians set up a republic some time ago. Recognizing its independence does not absolve the allies from the moral obligation to protect it. They cannot honorably wash their hands of further participation in Armenian affairs. It has been a disgrace that such conditions as have been reported to exist in Armenia at a recent date have been tolerated by the victors in the war. A year and a half after the armistice was signed these Christian people were still at the mercy of the Turk, in danger of violence and massacre.

Several weeks ago a delegation of some 500 American veterans of Armenian origin, wearing the uniform in which they served in the United States army, went to Washington and presented a memorial to congress asking for recognition of the republic of Armenia. It was pointed out that while the enemy, at the conclusion of hostilities, was at once compelled to evacuate France, Belgium and Serbia, and while the liberated nationalities of Poland and Czechoslovakia were started without delay upon their new careers, practically nothing has been done as yet for Armenia. Yet the last was the greatest sufferer of all. Armenia has been entitled to more consideration than she has received, not only on the ground of humanity, but also in return for the services she rendered as an ally.

THE LABOR DEFICIT

America is short 4,000,000 workers, says the president of the Inter-Racial Council. This is urged as a reason for the encouragement of immigration, and for taking proper measures to care for the unskilled immigrant when he gets here.

The old immigration tests were faulty enough, and there is no question about the fact that in the past we have handled the Americanization very badly. But if the immigrant now here is determined to go on as he has been doing recently

in an average of \$2,000 in his bags, at the rate of \$5,000 a week—and the potential immigrant on the other side is sufficiently encouraged by his own government to stay where he is, there is one possible other solution for the present difficulty.

One extra half-hour per day of productive labor, performed by the 50,000,000 people in this country old enough to work, would almost make up for the labor of the absent 4,000,000 at the rate of 44 hours per week.

The same result might be accomplished by the people who are now slackening on five-day weeks, or merely lengthening their present jobs. There are too many people drawing pay for 44 hours a week who have not put in anything like that number of honest hours of labor. They have done everything slowly and wastefully as they could, under the mistaken impression that they were putting something over on capital by so acting. If they could but learn that their own comfort and happiness, now and in the future, depends upon honest production, the country could get along very comfortably without unskilled laborers from abroad.

If the immigrants want to come, we can use them, and we must treat them better than we used to do. But

if they do not, it might be worth while to put in that extra working time, or speed up on the present time.

NATURAL FOR WORLD TO GO TO SLEEP

"The natural condition of the world is to go to sleep," says an editorial in the Chicago Automobile Journal.

Human beings constitute wealth—if they will function. They create and they consume, must do both.

Much stress is laid upon the creation of wealth. The good merchant knows that the consumer is his particular anxiety. The natural condition of the world is to go to sleep. In that state one does not consume. Salesmanship is the art of keeping people awake to things.

Napoleon said his main concern was to keep things awake or there would be nothing doing. He was afraid of forgetfulness and lethargy. The reason big stores live today is because they stir up people and they stir them up far and wide. Their magnificent stocks of goods would lie inert unless they did.

Commercially, the principal function of the human being is to consume. The spender is the commercial unit of wealth. The spender comes from far and wide—the earth must be combed for him, because he is the wide-awake one and represents unfortunately a small percentage of the whole. He is like copper ore in small pockets all over the world.

CLEAN-UP SUGGESTION FOR HOME AND CITY

Do not burn anything that can be converted into ash.

Bale waste paper. It is worth money. Old iron, metals, discarded furniture, etc., all have a value.

Whitewash is a good fire retarder and makes an unsightly fence look respectable.

Every available space that will grow things should be put into vegetables. Every vegetable that matures is that much off the high cost of living.

After you have cleared up your premises, help your neighbor. He may not know how.

A bushel of potatoes is much more valuable than an ash pile.

After you have cleared up your place, keep it clean.

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Brown on Cuddling.

At Scarborough, England, during an application to the licensing justice for cinema licenses, it was stated that when the justices visited the Palladium they saw some young couple cuddling. Mr. Gerald Standing, the manager, said he had not seen it. The chief constable asked him if he knew that locally 42 settees in one part of the building which seated two people each were known as the "cuddling chairs." Mr. Standing said he had not heard it, and that he had seen no kiss and cuddling. The license was granted on the court's being given to understand that more lights would be installed and the settees divided to prevent cuddling.

Believe It or Not.

He was a stranger to the ways of a city and made his way about with difficulty. He entered a large department store and was standing near the elevator when he heard the man directing the running of the elevators say: "Take the elevator to the right. It will take you anywhere."

So the stranger entered the elevator with the assertion "I wish to go to the terminal station."

"Take the next car," came the quiet rejoinder.

That's More Than Some Do.

"Whoever told you could play off?" sneered the expert.

"Who? Me?" asked the novice. "I'm playing just as well as any of the others, am I not?"

"Why, man alive, you took 12 strokes to make the first hole? Is that what you call good playing?"

"Well, I hit the ball every time I didn't!"—Stray Stories.

Presidential Powers.

The president of the United States is by Article II, Section II of the Constitution, commander-in-chief of the army and navy and of the militia of the several states when called into the actual service of the United States. Under his general power as commander-in-chief he can order the army and navy anywhere he will, when necessary, to protect the rights of American citizens and their property, or to see that the laws are executed fairly.

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THE BRAINERD DAILY DISPATCH

NORTHWEST NEWS

Republican Convention Meet Today
St. Paul May 5—Republicans in every county of the state were picking delegates to the state elimination convention today.

In all 1,151 delegates were to be selected. In most counties the conventions did not meet until afternoon. A majority of the counties are expected to send uninstructed delegations to the state convention which meets in St. Paul next Saturday.

Hennepin county will have the biggest delegation in the convention, with 129 to be named today. St. Paul's delegation will number 45 and the St. Louis county delegation, including Duluth, will number 48. Other counties are apportioned representation as follows:

Atkin 9, Anoka 11, Becker 11, Benton 9, Big Stone 9, Blue Earth 15, Brown, Carlton and Carver 9 each, Cass 10, Chippewa 9, Chisago and Clay 10 each, Clearwater 7, Cook 6, Cottonwood 10, Crow Wing 11, Dakota 12, Dodge and Douglas 10 each, Faribault 15, Fillmore 18, Freeborn 15, Goodhue 17, Grant 9, Houston 12, Hubbard and Isanti 8 each, Itasca 2, Jackson 11, Kennebeck 8, Kanaboo 11, Kittson and Koochiching 7 each, Lac Qui Parle 11, Lake 7, Le Sueur 11, Lincoln 9, Lyons 12, Mille Lacs 9, Morrison 11, Mower 14, Murray 10, Nicollet 9, Nobles 11, Norman 9, Olmsted 15, Ottertail 18, Pennington 7, Pine 11, Pipestone 9, Polk 14, Pope 10, Red Lake 6, Redwood 12, Renville 13, Rice 15, Rock 16, Roseau 7, Scott 8, Sherburne 9, Sibley 9, Stearns 16, Steeler 12, Stevens 8, Swift 9, Todd 12, Traverse 8, Wabasha 11, Wadena 8, Waseca 10, Washington 11, Watonwan 10, Wilkin 8, Winona 16, Wright 15 and Yellow Medicine 10.

School Courts Instituted

Fargo, May 5—A method of handling youthful offenders without contaminating their names with the disgrace of criminal courts and prison has been devised by District Judge A. T. Cole in a "students court" recently organized here. The officers of the court consist of representatives of the high school, Fargo College, the agricultural college and the various business colleges of the city.

This court will handle minor offenses. In instructing the court, Judge Cole advised them to use "common sense" rather than to seek to follow legal procedure. Police and sheriffs will call the court into session when its services are needed. Records will be destroyed as soon as the case to which they pertain has been disposed of and nothing of youthful discretion will remain to hurt the offender in after life.

After you have cleared up your premises, help your neighbor. He may not know how.

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Motor Boats for Game Wardens

St. Paul, May 5—Poachers in the

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Across the Ocean



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From Mine—Big Saving

The high cost of coal is a thing of the past! At least, there are no complaints on this account—since the removal of government restrictions—among those who have learned how to get it direct from the mines. This saves middlemen's profits. It saves hauling expenses. Anyone can now buy at mine prices, whether a carload buyer or one who uses only ten or fifteen tons a year. This has been made possible through a plan evolved by a large and old-established concern, THE BERNICE COAL COMPANY, with main offices at 445 Como Building, Chicago.

This company has thousands of customers in various sections of the United States who receive all of their coal direct from the mines. These customers are pleased not only because of the many dollars they save every year, but also because of the quality of coal they are getting. Many write that they never before had coal that makes so little dust, that burns so well, leaving few ashes. If you are a coal user—whether you use hard or soft coal, much or little—it will be greatly to your advantage to write to the Bernice Coal Co. at once for prices, stating kind and quantity of coal you use.

Jud Tunkins.

Jud Tunkins says a man is known sometimes by the company he keeps and other times by the company he cuts loose from.

Local Manager Wanted

Unusual Opportunity
For Right Man

River will have to hustle to escape game wardens in the future.

Carlos Avery state game and fish commissioner today announced that the department has purchased

high speed motor boats for use of the agents of the commission in preventing illegal fishing in those waters.

Mr. Avery said that on the Canadian side high powered boats have been used for some time, the result has been that illegal fishing has been more or less successful on the American side because the boats used by the Minnesota department were too slow.

The boats will be located at Wabasha and International Falls.

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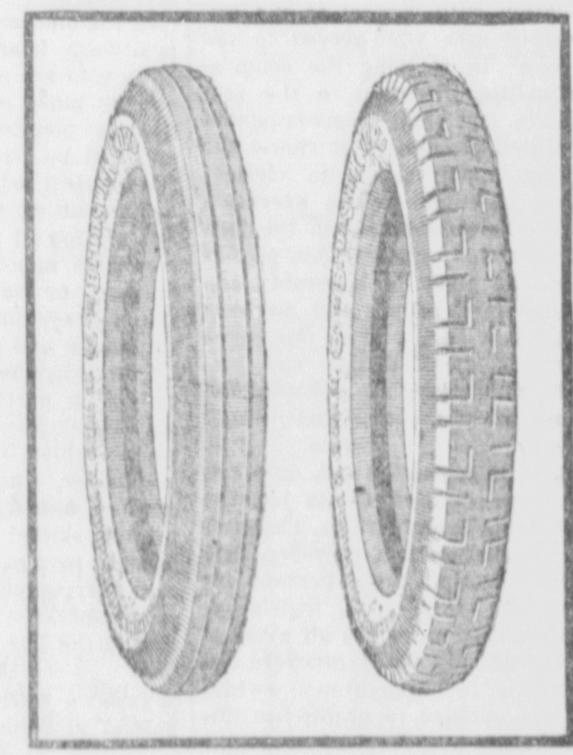
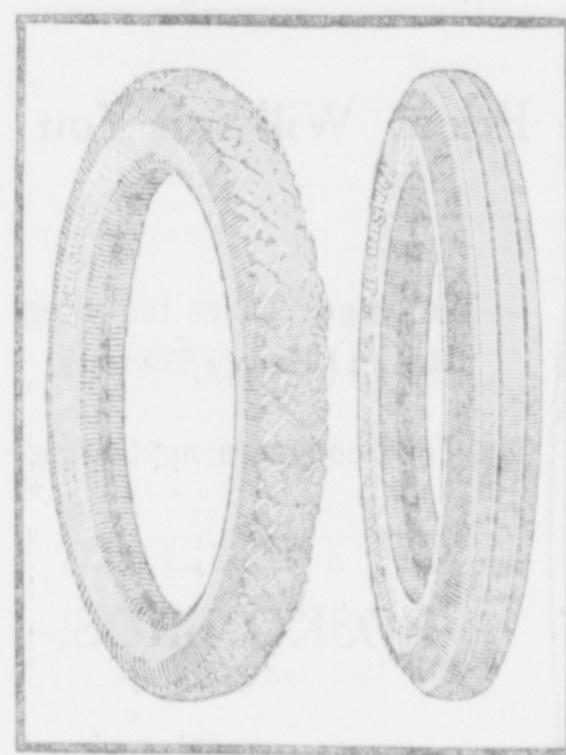
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Come True? Are You the Strong, Success-
ful Iron Man She Expected You To Be?

or are Worry, Work and Ill-Health Sapping the Iron From Your Blood and Robbing You of the Prizes that Come With Health and Success? Physician Explains Why So Many Men of To-day Need the Help of



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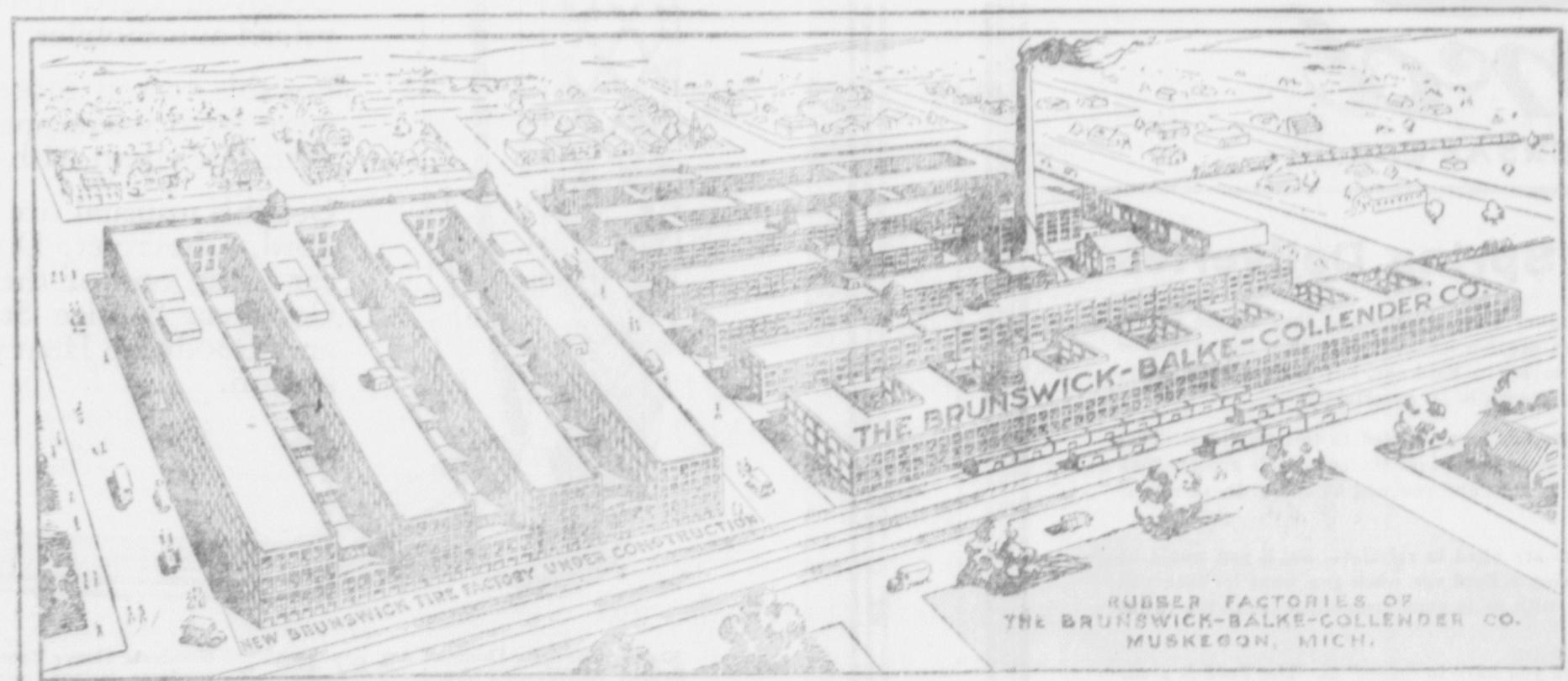
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POSITIONS FOR SERVICE MEN

BARS ARE LOWERED FOR THOSE WHO SEEK EMPLOYMENT BY THE GOVERNMENT.

CIVIL SERVICE BODY RULES

War Department Is Leading the Way in Getting Places for Partly Disabled Former Fighters on Equal Basis With Uninjured.

By JAMES P. HORNADAY.

Washington.—Thus far only a limited number of service men have obtained positions in the executive department of the government. Recently the civil service commission has been receiving many inquiries as to the situation with respect to the employment of men who served in the world war. In replying the commission is calling attention to the fact that in July, last year, congress passed an act which provides that "hereafter in making appointments to clerical and other positions in the executive branch of the government in the District of Columbia or elsewhere, preference shall be given to honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines, and widows of such and to the wives of injured soldiers, sailors and marines who themselves are not qualified but whose wives are qualified to hold such positions."

This law, it is pointed out, does not exempt those entitled to its benefits from the usual examinations. The civil service commission has, however, laid down the rule that those persons favored by the July, 1919, legislation shall be required to attain an average percentage of only 65 in order to become eligible for appointment, while persons not entitled to preference under the statute are required to attain an average percentage of at least 70.

Favored in Many Ways.

Service men have also been released from all age limitations; they have been released from all height and weight requirements except for positions of guard and watchman; they will be certified for appointment in the departmental service at Washington without regard to the apportionment of appointments among the states on the basis of population, although they must prove their residence and domicile as required by law, and after attaining eligibility through examination they will have their names placed on the register in the order of their grades ahead of those not entitled to preference under the statute.

The civil service commission, as well as the heads of the various departments, believe that under such favorable circumstances it will not be many years until the clerical forces of the government will largely be made up of service men, or the wives of injured soldiers, sailors and marines who themselves are not qualified to hold the positions.

The war department has been a little more active than any of the other departments in opening the way for the employment of service men. Secretary Baker announced the other day that that department was now ready to co-operate with the federal board of vocational education and the civil service commission in an effort to fa-

cilitate in every way possible the examination in the department, in the District of Columbia and elsewhere of partially disabled soldiers on an equal basis with those who have not sustained physical injury. The department has decided that for all positions the following named physical defects will be barred from examination: Insanity, seriously defective sight of both eyes which cannot be corrected by glasses, uncompensated valvular disease of the heart, paralysis, transmissible disease where it is evident that the applicant is a menace to others.

Defects That Do Not Bar Men.

The following named physical defects will not bar honorably discharged soldiers from examination for positions in the war department, Secretary Baker announces, but may prevent appointment to a particular position: Paralysis not serious in degree, loss of both arms or both legs, loss of arm and leg, badly crippled or deformed arms, feet or legs, locomotor ataxia, cancer, Bright's disease, diabetes, defective hearing. In the case of examination in which physical ability is a ratable element, such as an examination for mechanical trades and similar positions, honorably discharged soldiers who are not absolutely barred by one or more of the barring physical defects mentioned will be admitted and will be given an eligible rating in the subject of physical ability. All height and weight requirements will be omitted for all persons entitled to preference in appointments on account of military or naval service, except in the case of applicants for positions of watchman and guard.

The positions in the war department in which partially disabled soldiers may be employed are those of stenographer-typist, typist, clerk, file clerk, messenger, watchman, multigraph operator, mimeograph operator, blue-printer, skilled laborer, foreman of laborers, packer, sign painter, electrician, carpenter, painter, checker, elevator operator, storekeeper, timekeeper and the like.

Today's worry is apt to be the result of yesterday's blunder.

NOT DESERT LAND

Lower California Has Much Fertile Soil.

Really a Region of Great Resources That Only Await Development, According to Writer in Los Angeles Newspaper.

Lower California is an expansive region that has never been well known and has long been misunderstood. Even we of Upper California, despite our close proximity, know little of the peninsula except its extreme northern part, writes Arthur Berg, in the Los Angeles Times. Few of us realize that it is not an utterly barren waste; that it is a tropical country with a salubrious climate and many regions of luxuriant vegetation; that its northern and southern parts are utterly unlike one another, and that rich resources abound that are only waiting to be developed.

Despite its jagged, barren heights and cactus-clad mesas, which glow in the fiery rays of an unobscured sun, it was a land rich in history when the timbers of the Mayflower were yet trees in the forest. Once sought and guarded for her ores and her jewels,

English Collegiate Star Runner



H. Jappe, champion of Oxford and Cambridge, came to the United States to compete in the hurdles at the Pennsylvania University relay races held last week.

This peninsula, which to the Spanish conquistadores was an island glittering in the azure web of romance, a land for which the padres gave their lives in fanatic devotion to the cross, now lies practically unnoticed, its romance and history forgotten, and its possibilities, if not overlooked, at least neglected.

Between 1527 and 1532 Hernando Cortez sent four expeditions on voyages of discovery up the west coast of Mexico, but the first three accomplished nothing and the fourth failed to return. Finally, in 1533, Lower California was discovered by Ximenez, who anchored in the bay of Santa Cruz (now La Paz). Later Cortez himself visited Santa Cruz and secured a quantity of pearls and Indian slaves. In 1539 Francisco de Ulloa sailed up the Gulf of California and discovered the mouth of the Colorado

river. In spite of this discovery, Lower California was known as an island for more than 100 years and appeared on European maps as an island up to as late as 1748.

All attempts of Spain to colonize the California peninsula ended in disastrous failures until the task was delegated to the Jesuits, or Company of Jesus, in 1697. These Jesuit missionary priests were possessed of the tact of the French explorers, the persistency of the English colonial settlers and the bravery of the American frontiersman.

Padre Salvatierra made the first mission settlement in Lower California on October 15, 1697, at the bay of San Bruno, on the east coast.

For 70 years thereafter the Jesuits controlled the peninsula, and those 70 years represented the era of Lower California's greatest activity and greatest prosperity.

During their sojourn the Jesuits charted the east coast, explored the east and west coasts, the islands adjacent thereto and the interior in a manner that has never been exceeded; founded 23 missions, of which 14 proved to be successful; formulated a system of mission life never thereafter surpassed; not only instructed the Indians in religious matters, but taught them many useful arts as well; cultivated and planted the arable lands and inaugurated a system of irrigation which, had they been given time for a more northerly advance, would have given Upper California a marvelous agricultural development early in the nineteenth century.

The establishment of the mission in Upper California was a much easier task than that which the hardy Jesuit priests faced and conquered in Lower California.

Cost of Producing a Diamond.

To produce a diamond in the rough costs approximately \$7 a karat, according to estimates of various students of the diamond industry. If this diamond properly cut were sold at \$30, it would net a good profit. In the South African mines it is said the diamonds are distributed so evenly that 100 tons of the bluish clay yields about 100 karats of diamonds. The production cost of a five-karat diamond is \$25. If it is flawless and of good water it will easily net \$3,500. The supply of diamonds is unlimited. Almost all of the world's supply comes from South Africa and complete control of it is in the hands of one British concern.

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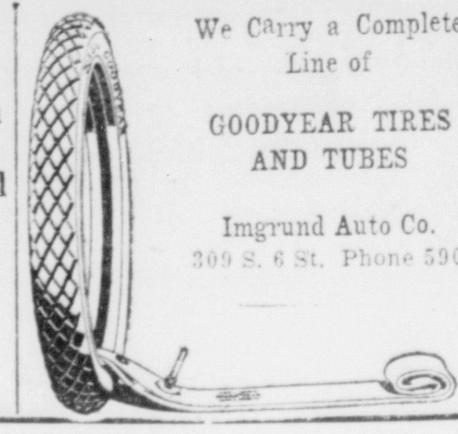
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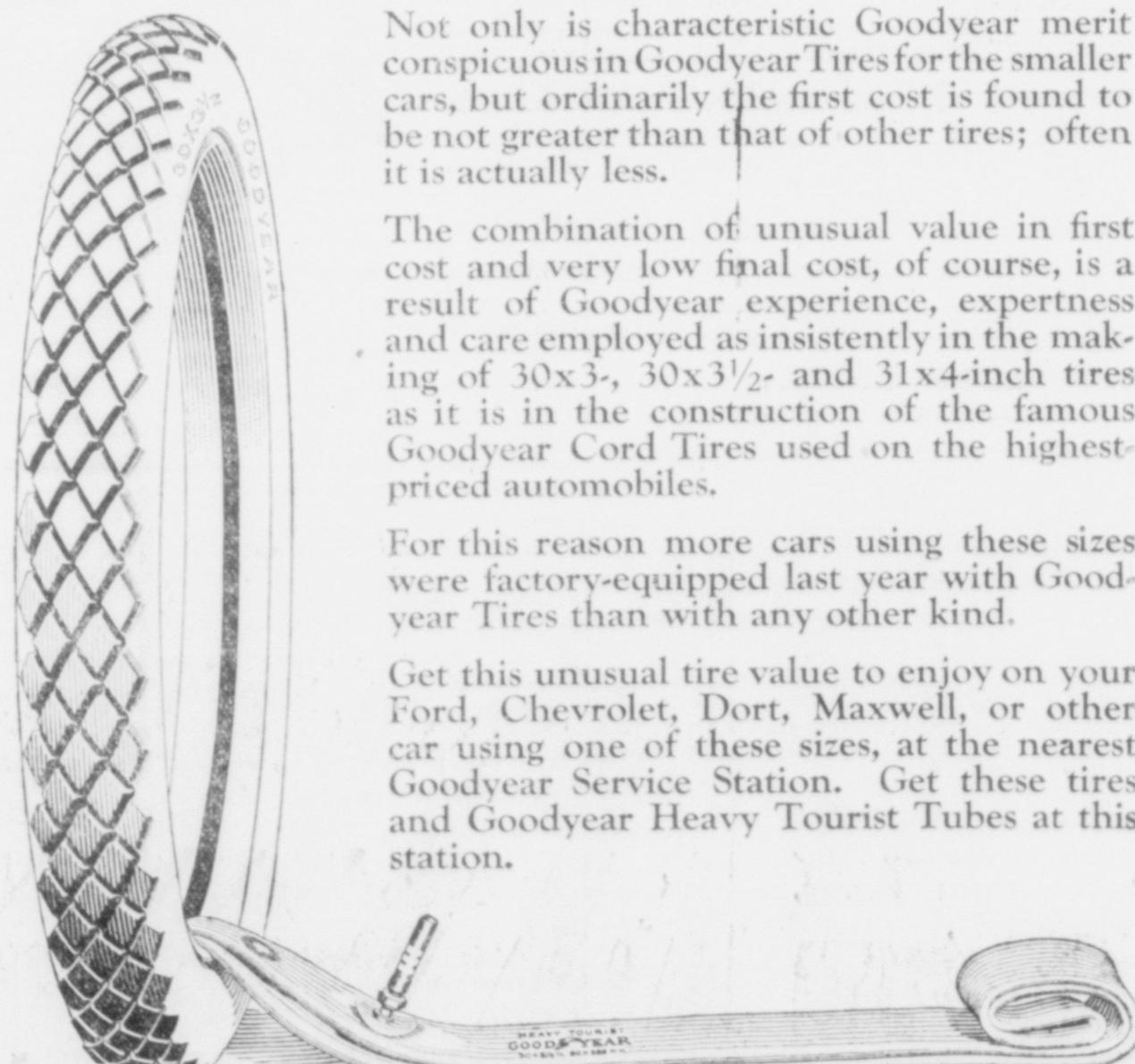
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Get this unusual tire value to enjoy on your Ford, Chevrolet, Dort, Maxwell, or other car using one of these sizes, at the nearest Goodyear Service Station. Get these tires and Goodyear Heavy Tourist Tubes at this station.



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Spring deliveries of Ford cars have never been certain, and they should not be depended upon. Demand has always been greater for Ford cars than the supply or production. So, if you would be sure of having a Ford car, buy it now while deliveries are possible. Don't wait—Even next month is an uncertainty.

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GOOD YEAR

TOURISTS TO BOOST ST. PAUL PRODUCTS

S. P. A. Trade Special, Leaving May 24, Will Cover Northern Minnesota

19 PIECE BAND WITH THEM
Moving Pictures to be Made at Brainerd by St. Paul Boosters

St. Paul manufacturers and jobbers will laud St. Paul products to more than 180,000 Minnesota residents during the trade tour trip, May 24 to 29, of the jobbing subdivision of the St. Paul Association.

The trade tour is an annual affair, its purpose being to bring St. Paul manufacturers and jobbers into closer contact with their customers throughout the state.

Will Carry Band

A nineteen piece band and moving pictures will be taken by the boosters on the trip as an added feature. The tour will be made on a special train. Seventy-three towns will be visited.

Those on the committee which arranged the tour are: George Ekstrand, Elliott Hensel, Samuel King, H. J. Lehr, A. W. Logan, F. L. Williams, Lee Warner, R. P. Warner and R. E. Hilton, industrial commissioner of the Association secretary.

The tour will extend from St. Paul to Fergus Falls, to Brainerd, to Cloquet, to Hibbing, and will cover virtually the entire Vermillion and Mesabi iron ranges.

Towns to be Visited

The itinerary includes St. Cloud, St. Joseph, Albany, Melrose, Sauk Center, West Union, Osakis, Nelson, Alexandria, Garfield, Brandon, Melby, Ashby, Dayton, Fergus Falls, Underwood, Battle Creek, Clitherall, Vining, Hennings, Deer Creek, Wadena, Verndale, Staples, Pillager, Brainerd, Deerwood, Crosby, Cuyuna, Aitkin, McGregor, Tamarack, Wright, Cromwell, Carlton, Cloquet, Floodwell, Grand Rapids, Coleraine, Bovey, Marble, Calumet, Nashwauk, Keewatin, Kelly Lake, Hibbing, Chisholm, Buhl, Winton, Ely, Tower, Aurora, Biwabik, McKinley, Gilbert, Eveleth, Virginia, Coahasset, Deer River, Ball Club, Bona, Cass Lake, Farris, Bemidji, La Porte, Walker, Hackensack, Backus, Pine River, Pequot and Little Falls.

FUNERAL ON THURSDAY

Remains of Ferdinand Liners Have Arrived from North Yakima—Elks Pallbearers

The remains of Ferdinand Liners arrived Wednesday morning from North Yakima, Wash., and are now at the B. C. McNamara chapel where they may be viewed until the hour of the funeral.

Mr. Liners was a member of the North Yakima Elks. A large and beautiful floral design from North Yakima Lodge No. 318, a clock and the figures 11 being worked out in flowers, accompanied the remains. At the request of the family Brainerd Elks will be pallbearers. Elks will meet at Citizens State bank hall on Thursday morning at 8:30 o'clock to attend the funeral services which will be held at 9 o'clock at St. Francis Catholic church, requiem high mass being solemnized by Rev. Father J. J. O'Mahoney.

BIG OPERA COMING

"The Chocolate Soldier" Comic Opera and Symphony Orchestra Booked for Brainerd

That Brainerd receives the best in the musical world is further exemplified by the booking for the New Park theatre at Brainerd made by F. S. Workman this morning.

"The Chocolate Soldier" opera company and symphony orchestra will play in Brainerd Thursday evening, May 27. There are 500 people in the show and the singing, scenery and music is something superb. Brainerd expects a large attendance from range and countryside within 20 miles from Brainerd.

Roads are daily improving and many automobile theatre parties will be formed to attend the "Chocolate Soldier".

NOTICE ELKS

Brother Elks of Brainerd Lodge No. 615 are asked to meet at Citizens State bank hall Thursday morning, May 6, at 8:30 o'clock to attend the funeral of Brother Ferdinand Liners of North Yakima, Wash.

WM. V. TURCOTTE,
Exalted Ruler Brainerd Lodge

1 No. 615

BUSINESS METHODS DISCUSSED IN LECTURE

More than 200 Merchants and Salespeople Present at Chamber of Commerce Meeting

BUSINESS LUNCHEON SERVED

During His Talk G. W. Sulley Laid Emphasis on Value of News-Paper Advertising

More than 200 merchants and salespeople were present at the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday night, when G. W. Sulley, expert lecturer of the National Cash Register company of Dayton, Ohio, gave an interesting and educational talk on retail merchandising methods. By means of stereopticon slides and motion pictures, the lecturer depicted the troubles of the retail merchant, and showed how to remedy them in a graphic manner.

"Last year alone 9,430 merchants failed; 29 every business day; one every fifteen minutes," Mr. Sulley said. Analyzing the causes of these failures, he demonstrated the fact that the great majority occurred because of inefficient business methods.

During his talk, Mr. Sulley laid emphasis on the value of newspaper advertising to the retail merchant. He said in part: "Except for the small store in an outlying district of a large city, more people can be reached often and at less expense by newspaper advertising than by any other medium. But don't spend a few dollars advertising, and then say advertising doesn't pay. Make advertising a continuous policy of your store, and you will not be disappointed with results." Preparation of copy for advertising, and how to secure best results, were also discussed.

Window display was also touched on by Mr. Sulley and the solution of delivery problems, perfection of a store organization, and other interesting features were thoroughly discussed.

One of the big features of the evening was the showing of the feature film, "Trouble of a Merchant" and "How to Stop Them." The film vividly described the experiences of a merchant, who was struggling along trying to operate his business along out-of-date lines.

His store was located in an old-fashioned building. His windows were too high to permit proper display of merchandise. The sidewalk in front of his store was dirty, and the front was unattractive. Customers passed by his door to make purchases at another store. The interior of his store was in keeping with the exterior. His goods were of good quality, but poorly displayed. His clerks were indifferent. His poor business methods cost him money every day. He was deeply in debt.

Then came a change. Through the introduction of modern business methods in the store, the tide was turned. From a failure he became a successful business man.

That the audience was keenly interested in every word of Mr. Sulley's lecture was shown by the attention given the lecturer and his pictures. A great deal of favorable comment was expressed by both merchants and sales people upon the good methods brought out which they could apply to their own business.

The high school orchestra furnished music through the first two reels of pictures showing the National Cash Register Co.'s plant and employee's facilities and the company's business methods. The orchestra also played "America" which was sung by the audience while pictures illustrating this song were thrown on the screen.

The evening's program was begun with a club luncheon at 6:15. Nearly 150 were served which taxed the house and social committee's facilities to the utmost, more attending than they had planned on.

Every business house was well represented. Merchants came in practically every case brought their sales force with them. To illustrate there were nine from the O'Brien Mercantile Co., eight from the H. F. Michael Co., six from the Jones' Dry Goods Co., seven from the Eagle Provision Co., these firms furnishing their clerks with supper tickets. The students from the Commercial College attended the lecture in a body.

From every view point this event was the most successful staged this year by the Chamber of Commerce. It assembled the business men from all walks of life, brought about a closer unity between merchants and their sales force and suggested many val-

REPUBLICANS MET IN COURT HOUSE

Named 11 Delegates to Attend the State Convention to be Held in St. Paul, May 8

UNINSTRUCTED DELEGATES

E. P. Scallon Named Chairman of Delegation—C. A. Allbright County Chairman

The republican county convention was held in the district court room at the court house Wednesday afternoon. Some forty delegates were present, the range country being especially well represented.

Judge Walter F. Wieland was named chairman and Miss Annie A. Severance of Crosby secretary.

After some arguments as to the extent to which Brainerd should be represented in the county delegation, the share the range should have for its delegates and the outlying district representation, the motion carried that Brainerd have 5, the range 4 and the outlying districts 2.

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Pap Thomas Post

A regular meeting of Pap Thomas Post No. 39 will be held in the I. O. O. F. Hall Thursday afternoon, May 6, at 2 o'clock. Every comrade is requested to be present. Arrangements for Decoration Day are to be made.

Join the "Make It Do" Club

All persons eighteen years or over

are eligible to membership in this organization which has for its object

the reduction in the price of clothing.

For membership card and button apply at office of Brainerd Model Laundry. No dues or membership fee.

Y. M. C. A. BOARD TO HOLD MEETING

Regular Monthly Business Meeting to Listen to Reports from Special Committees

OFFICERS ARE TO BE ELECTED

General Secretary to be Engaged—Secretary D. T. Lawrence Speaks of Conditions

The regular monthly business meeting of the Y. M. C. A. board of directors will be held Thursday evening, May 6th, at 8 o'clock. The president desires to see every member out to this meeting, as there are reports to come in from some special committees, and it is also the occasion of the election of officers for the ensuing year, and the hiring of a general secretary.

The present general secretary has worked hard in the last year to keep things together and has saved the Y

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WAR CALLS FOR HUGE PAYMENTS

BETWEEN TWO AND THREE MILLIONS PENSIONS FOR OUR EARLIER CONFLICTS.

WORLD WAR COST UNKNOWN

Estimates of Insurance, Vocational Education and Public Health Services for the Next Year Aggregate \$423,000,000—Warning By Cannon.

By JAMES P. HORNADAY.

Washington.—The passage the other day by the house of representatives of the annual pension appropriation bill, the bill that makes provision for the payment of pensions chargeable to the Mexican war, the Civil war and the Spanish-American war, served to call attention to the money cost of war. That pension bill carried appropriations amounting to \$211,020,000. Legislation broadening the scope of the existing pension law which has already passed the house will, if concurred in by the senate and approved by the president, increase the above sum by \$77,500,000 making a total of \$291,520,000 chargeable to the wars prior to the recent world war.

Congress has not yet been able to gain any very definite idea as to what the world war will cost in the way of benefits as the years go on. Just now it is concerned with the appropriations that must be made for the next fiscal year. The bureau of war risk insurance estimates the amount necessary to pay compensation for death and disability for the fiscal year beginning July 1 at \$198,000,000; the federal board for vocational education estimates its expenditures for the next fiscal year at \$125,000,000, and the public health service estimates that it will be called on to expend upwards of \$100,000,000. These estimates aggregate \$423,000,000 as the amount that will be required to discharge the obligations of the government to the survivors of the war with Germany during the next year.

Bonus Would Add Two Billions.

This estimate with which the appropriation committee is now dealing does not take into account bonus legislation. If bonus legislation of the kind that has been proposed is enacted it will call for an expenditure of upwards of \$2,000,000,000. That legislation, if enacted will, of course, be regarded as special; it will call for one payment only and the money will have to be raised through special taxation of some sort.

Joseph G. Cannon, the veteran member of the house from Illinois, in presenting the regular pension bill to the house reminded the legislators that the government must not fail to give proper attention to the financial demand that will be made on it for years to come as a result of the world war. He reminded his fellow congressmen that in the year 1918, according to the surgeon general of the army, there were 2,423,362 admissions to the hospitals for disease, 182,789 admissions for ordinary injuries and 27,653 admissions for battle injuries. Here, he pointed out, were nearly 3,000,000 admissions to the army hospitals in the year 1918, and while some were no doubt duplications, no one could accurately estimate how many of these men with hospital records may be found totally or partially disabled and the cause traced to their war service. He pointed out that congress had already enacted a law and created machinery to meet any developments and the thing he would impress on the legislators was that they would have to be prepared to appropriate the necessary money to meet the estimates when they come from the various bureaus of the government in charge of the machinery to care for the survivors of the war.

Billion a Year in Ten Years.

The venerable representative expressed the opinion that within ten years congress would have to appropriate a billion dollars a year to discharge its financial obligations to the survivors of all our wars. "It is a big obligation," said Mr. Cannon, "but one that the government has already accepted. I call attention to the situation so that no one in the country need deceive himself as to the obligations we will have to meet in the future."

Plans for combining the various relief methods or pension systems are being considered by the appropriations committees. It is generally assumed that it is only a question of time until the pension bureaus which now handle all pensions growing out of wars prior to 1917 will take over or be combined with the war risk bureau which at this time is serving the survivors of the world war. The tentative plans provide also that the vocational educational work carried on for the benefit of men who were injured in the world war shall be taken over by the bureau that handles the pension business. There is also a demand that the activity of the public health service in connection with future war relief be carried on by the one head.

The ways and means committee is also giving thought to a suggestion that as soon as possible some permanent plan be worked out for raising money with which to meet the enormous money obligations growing out

WORK TWO MONTHS IN YEAR

Colony of Spiders May Be Thought to Have an Easy Time, But They Don't.

In Hoboken, N. J., in a large surveying instrument factory, there is a colony of 200 workmen who never receive wages, yet who are perfectly contented. They toil from early in the morning until late at night, and their only recompense is a house fly or two apiece during the day. They are spiders—large, black, energetic spiders—and they comprise probably the most indispensable part of the entire working force. It is their duty to spin the thread that is used for cross hairs in surveying instruments. During the two months of the year when they work they produce thousands of yards of the almost invisible but invaluable fiber.

The spider colony works only during August and September. A strike among them may sound amusing to the reader, but it is really a serious matter. For the purpose of urging the little workmen to their tasks four spiders—large, black, energetic spiders—and they comprise probably the most indispensable part of the entire working force. It is their duty to spin the thread that is used for cross hairs in surveying instruments. During the two months of the year when they work they produce thousands of yards of the almost invisible but invaluable fiber.

Coaxing the spiders really means irritating them. The girl places one on her hand and pats or taps it until it turns toward the ground, leaving one

end of its thread behind. Before the spider can reach the ground the girl quickly attaches the thread to a wire whirling frame, which she revolves in her hands. As the spider struggles to reach the ground she continues to wind, and in that way sometimes gets several hundred feet of thread from a single spider.

GOT REAL "DIGGER" WELCOME

General Birdwood's Popularity in Australia Thoroughly Attested by a Recent Happening.

General Birdwood occupies a unique place in the heart of the Australian soldier, who remembers Gallipoli and France and has a hundred stories to tell of the general's unexpected appearances in "shorts" on some hot batte front. Being a general, the Australian crowned the object of his reverence, when he reached Melbourne with the slouch hat of the "digger," and then carried the general shoulder-high through heavy rain to an improvised platform. Perhaps the neatest acknowledgment of the general's thanks came from a digger in the domain. General Birdwood told the assembled soldiers in Victoria that when he arrived in western Australia, the first thing he received was a cartoon drawn by one of the lads of the Twenty-eighth battalion. "It showed a great, big digger hand held out in welcome," said General Birdwood.

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Wonderful Swinging Monument

Gently swaying to and fro, a huge granite monolith forming a unique natural monument has been discovered on Green mountain, several miles north of Canon City, Colo. It is believed to be the only "swinging monument" in the world.

The shaft is more than 100 feet high and in the course of many years has become free from all surrounding earth formation except at the base, which is about 12 feet wide. In the center the granite column is about 50 feet in thickness and tapers off to a width at the summit practically the same as at the base.

The entire shaft moves probably

from two to three feet at the apex, and the swing is constant under the pressure of light winds. The base of the shaft rests in a small hollow about three feet in depth, and the contiguous granite formation has been entirely disconnected.

Strong Wind at High Altitude.

Altitude flights by army aviators have shown the existence of a height of 25,000 feet or more above the earth, of a strong west wind, whose velocity is estimated at perhaps 175 miles per hour. These flights also have shown that there is not a continuous reduction in temperature as altitude in-

creases. The flights have tested a supercharger, which is expected to be of considerable military and commercial value. For military purposes its use will be to increase greatly the speed of airplanes at altitudes. For commercial purposes, it is said that the supercharger will enable heavy passenger or express carrying airplanes to climb over the highest mountains with the use of comparatively low powered and low priced engines.

Surprised a Stranger.

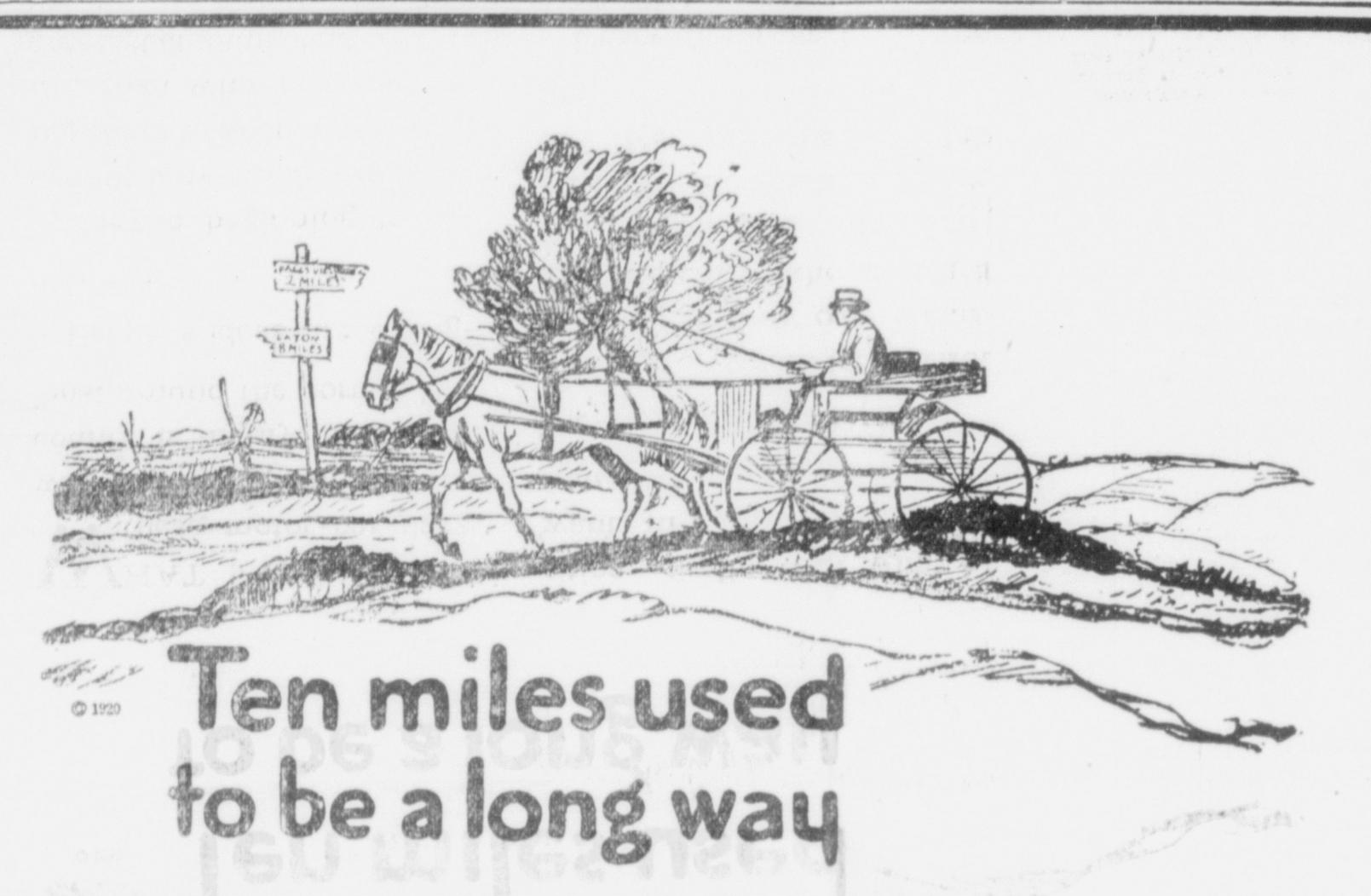
My girl chum always rode out on the train at night with the fellow to whom she was engaged. One night as I was walking through the cars I thought I saw him sitting alone, so I took the bunch of flowers I had in my hand and, sticking them in his face, said: "What are you riding all alone for?" I can frankly say that my most embarrassing moment occurred when I found myself looking into the surprised face of an entirely strange man.—Exchange.

Hours of Labor.

"You seem tired."

"A bit overtaxed," admitted the student of economics. "I have been rising at 6 in the morning and working till midnight on a series of speeches to prove that six hours' work a day is enough for any man."

DISPATCH WANT ADS PAY



Ten miles used to be a long way

WHAT a difference in these motor-car days, when every point in the county is hardly more than "just around the corner."

People's ideas are changing, too.

They're beginning to figure out how much it is costing them to keep a car. And the man who is doing the greatest amount of figuring is the man with the moderate-price car.

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There still seems to be a notion in some quarters that any tire is good enough for a small car.

That's not what the man who owns it thinks.

In recommending and selling U. S. Tires we are trying to see his side of the propo-

nend. Before he could continue, a rain-drenched digger remarked: "The other hand is here in Melbourne."

FOR SALE—Used Buick "6" at Ingard Auto Co.

FOR SALE—Household furniture.

FOR SALE—Ford in first class condition. Phone 276-L.

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FOR SALE—Nine acres of city property. Inquire 620-4th Ave.

FOR SALE—1919 FORD touring car. May be seen at V. E. Lively.

FOR SALE—5 passenger car in first class condition. 219-3rd Ave., N. E.

FOR SALE—Everbearing strawberry plants, 40c dozen. Call 791-L.

FOR SALE—Second hand window frames and doors. 519 No. Broadway.

FOR SALE—House, 910-Fir St., N. Small payment down, monthly payments.

FOR SALE—1917 Ford touring car in good shape. 1111 Norwood. Phone 924-W.

FOR SALE—My barn at No. 21 Bluff Avenue, north. Enough fine lumber to build a good home. J. H. Krekelberg.

FOR SALE—2 cylinder Harley-Davidson motorcycle cheap. 411 South Eighth.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, 52 acres farm on north side of Gilbert lake. Good two story house, full basement, barn, chicken coop, 16 acres under cultivation, 22 acres ready for breaking. Good clay sub-soil. Inquire of Delia Lemire, Route 5, Brainerd.

FOR SALE—Baby buggy. Phone 905-W.

FOR SALE—Two desirable residences on the North side. Centrally located. Can be bought on easy terms and at a reasonable price.

You had better see me at once. Henry L. Cohen, Iron Exchange Building.

FOR SALE—Used Grant "Six" been run 4000 miles, good as new \$800.00. Phone 1193-W.

FOR SALE—Used Buick "6" at Ingard Auto Co.

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